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AMENDMENT TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Madam:

In response to the non-final Office Action, dated June 14, 2005, please amend the above-identified patent application, without prejudice, as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.